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## REMARKS

This is in response to the restriction requirement dated June 23, 2008. No new matter is added by this response. In the restriction requirement the Examiner identified Group 1, claims 1 through 7 and Group 2, claims 8 through 18. In response to the restriction requirement Applicants respectfully elect Group 2, including claims 8 through 18 without traverse.

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the Application, as amended, is now presented in condition for allowance, which allowance is respectfully solicited. Applicant believes that no additional fees are due, however, if any become required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 08-2789 in the name of Howard & Howard Attorneys. Further and favorable reconsideration of the outstanding Office Action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted

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